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REF: (A) USNATO 1800

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1. THE PROPOSALS WHICH YOU HAVE SUGGESTED SUBMITTING TO
THE INTERNATIONAL STAFF ON THE NAC COMMUNIQUE ARE EXCELLENT.

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YOU MAY SUBMIT THEM ON A PRELIMINARY BASIS AND TAKING
INTO ACCOUNT THE COMMENTS BELOW. FYI - GIVEN THE PRESI-
DENT'S PARTICIPATION, THE IS WILL APPRECIATE THE FACT
THAT WE MAY HAVE FURTHER THOUGHTS LATER AFTER HIGH-LEVEL
CONSIDERATIONS HERE. END FYI.

2. CSCE. REVIEW OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF HELSINKI ACCORDS

WILL BE CENTRAL ELEMENT AT BELGRADE. IN ADDITION TO LANGUAGE IN PARA 3D REFTTEL, YOU SHOULD ADD AN ADDITIONAL POINT AS FOLLOWS, TO PUT SOVIETS ON NOTICE: --THAT THE ALLIES ATTACH PARTICULAR IMPORTANCE TO THE EXCHANGE OF VIEWS ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE FINAL ACT PROVISIONS TO TAKE PLACE AT BELGRADE. ADDITIONALLY, IN THE PHRASE

CONCERNING THE ALLIED APPROACH TO BELGRADE, THE WORD "CONFERENCE" SHOULD BE REPLACED BY "MEETING" AND THE WORD "GENEROSITY" SHOULD BE DROPPED.

3. HUMAN RIGHTS. (PARA 3E). WE CONCUR WITH YOUR OBSERVATION ON THE NEED TO SUBMIT A STRONG INITIAL CONTRIBUTION ON HUMAN RIGHTS IN ANTICIPATION THAT THIS SECTION MAY BE REDUCED DURING COMMUNIQUE NEGOTIATIONS. YOU SHOULD ADD THE FOLLOWING TO YOUR PROPOSALS.
--THAT THE ALLIES, AS WESTERN DEMOCRACIES, ATTACH GREAT IMPORTANCE TO HUMAN RIGHTS IN ALL COUNTRIES;
--THAT ALL UN MEMBER STATES HAVE COMMITMENTS UNDER THE UN CHARTER TO RESPECT HUMAN RIGHTS; AND
--THAT THE ALLIES INTEND TO FOLLOW CLOSELY DEVELOPMENTS IN THE HUMAN RIGHTS FIELD.
COMMUNIQUE LANGUAGE ALONG THESE LINES SHOULD SURVIVE POSSIBLE ALLIED WATERING DOWN, IN THAT IT IS BASED ON POSITIVE ASPECTS OF WESTERN SOCIETIES, INCLUDING FACT THAT ALL NATO MEMBERS ARE NOW FOR THE FIRST TIME IN NATO HISTORY DEMOCRATICALLY RULED. LANGUAGE ALSO DOES NOT REFER DIRECTLY TO THE EASTERN COUNTRIES, AND INDICATES WE WILL BE FOLLOWING THE HUMAN RIGHTS SITUATION IN THE PERIOD
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LEADING UP TO BELGRADE.

4. ARMS CONTROL. WE AGREE WITH MISSION COMMENT THAT NATO SHOULD STRESS DETERMINATION TO PURSUE REALISTIC EFFORTS TO ACHIEVE MEANINGFUL AND EQUITABLE ARMS CONTROL MEASURES, NOTING NATO'S DEFENSIVE PURPOSE AND ORIENTATION. IF ALLIES WISH TO CONTINUE TO DISCUSS SOVIET NFU PROPOSAL, WE WOULD AGREE WITH REITERATION OF DECEMBER NATO STATEMENT, BUT MISSION NEED NOT RAISE THIS ISSUE IN ITS SUGGESTIONS, SINCE OUR POSITION IS THAT THE QUESTION IS CLOSED. FYI. WE WILL PROVIDE SALT MATERIAL SEPARATELY.END FYI.

5. GREEK AND TURKISH DCAS. MISSION SHOULD NOT INCLUDE REFERENCE TO THIS ISSUE IN SUBMITTING PROPOSALS.

6. NUMBER AND FORM OF DOCUMENTS. OUR STRONG PREFERENCE IS FOR A SINGLE DOCUMENT. WE AGREE WITH MISSION THAT ANY SECOND DOCUMENT WOULD SERVE NO USEFUL PURPOSE. WE BELIEVE FINAL DOCUMENT SHOULD BE CALLED A COMMUNIQUE RATHER THAN A

DECLARATION. MISSIONS THOUGHTS ON POSSIBLE LANGUAGE TO
NOTE PARTICIPATION OF HEADS OF STATE AND GOVERNMENT AND
FOREIGN MINISTERS APPEARS APPROPRIATE AND YOU MAY SUGGEST
IT.

7. BREVITY. ALTHOUGH FACT OF ATTENDANCE BY PRESIDENT AND
OTHER LEADERS WILL BE PRIMARY ELEMENT OF PUBLIC IMPACT, WE
SHOULD NEVERTHELESS STRIVE FOR A DOCUMENT WHICH IS AS
SHORT AND READABLE AS POSSIBLE.
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